PHANTOM JUNGLE HOLDS MANY MYSTERIES..
BEHIND THE GREAT, UNUSUAL PEAK.. THE MOST SECRET..
THE BEASTS OF PHANTOM-HEAD
FALK 5/1 Olesen & Williams
A TALKING DRUM FROM PHANTOM-HEAD...
PHAN-TOM..
TOM-TOM..
PHAN.
FALK 5/2 Olesen & Williams
OTHER JUNGLE DRUMS PASS ON THE MESSAGE..
PHAN-TOM..
TOM PHAN
TOM-PHAN..
PHAN-TOM.
WHAT DOES IT MEAN.. WHERE FROM?
A PUZZLE. AT TIMES WE HEAR STRANGE DRUM MESSAGE..
LIKE WHAT, GURAN?
PHAN-TOM.. PHAN-TOM.. OVER AND OVER.. HAS IT MEANING?
YES. WHEN DID YOU HEAR IT?
TWO MOONS PAST.
IF YOU HEAR IT AGAIN.. TELL ME.. FAST.
FALK 5/3 Olesen & Williams
NIGHT IN THE SKULL CAVE.. KIT AND HELOISE IN THE MAJOR TREASURE ROOM..
FALK 5/4 Olesen & Williams
PHANTOM AND DIANA.. IN THE GREAT HALL...
PHANTOM.. THE STRANGE DRUM MESSAGE!
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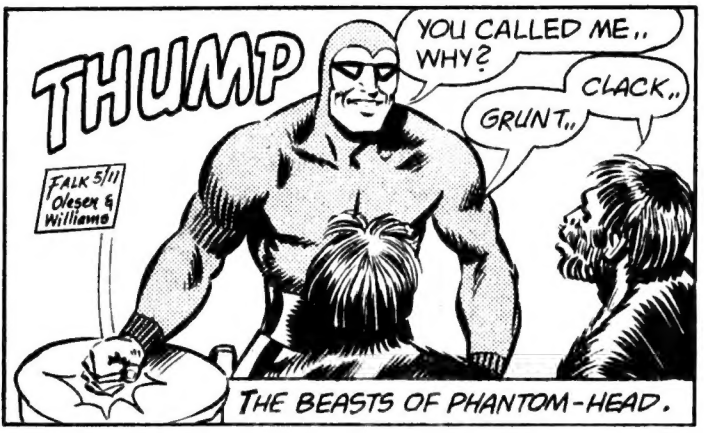
PHAN-TOM..
PHAN-TOM..
PHANTOM.. STRANGE DRUMBEATS.
I HEARD IT.. THANKS, GURAN.
WHAT IS IT?
TELL YOU LATER.. I HOPE.
FALK 5/5 Olesen & Williams
WHAT IS IT?
PHAN-TOM..
TOM-PHAN..
DOES THAT MEAN DANGER?
YOU NEVER KNOW. DON'T WORRY.. BACK SOON..
??
PHAN-TOM..
TOM-PHAN..
URGENT BEATS.. MEANS TROUBLE. FASTER, HERO!
FALK 5/6 Olesen & Williams
.. WHERE DID DADDY GO?
TO ANSWER SOME STRANGE DRUM MESSAGE. I DON'T KNOW WHAT.
NOR DOES ANYONE ELSE.. EXCEPT HIM.
FALK 5/8 Olesen & Williams
PHAN-TOM..
LOUDER.. GETTING CLOSE..
PHAN-TOM..
BEHIND THE GREAT PEAK CALLED PHANTOM-HEAD.
FALK 5/9 Olesen & Williams
THE MYSTERIOUS BEASTS OF PHANTOM-HEAD.

GRUNT..
GRUNT.. CLACK..
GREETINGS.
FALK 5/10 Olesen & Williams

THE BEASTS OF PHANTOM-HEAD .. A SPECIES UNKNOWN ELSEWHERE.
YOU SENT FOR ME ?
CLACK..
GRUNT..


THUMP
YOU CALLED ME.. WHY?
CLACK..
GRUNT..
FALK 5/11 Olesen & Williams
THE BEASTS OF PHANTOM-HEAD.

CLACK.. ?

CLACK CLACK..

DEAD.. BULLET WOUND! HOW?
CLACK..GRUNT..CLACK..GUK GUK..
IN THE SIMPLE LANGUAGE HE KNOWS.. THEY DESCRIBE..

"A THUNDERBIRD CAME OUT OF THE SKY."
FALK 5/12 Olesen & Williams

GUK ROR GRUNT CLACK..
"THUNDERBIRD COMES FROM SKY."
BEHIND PHANTOM-HEAD.. A BEAST KILLED BY A BULLET.. THE TALE...

"MAN COMES OUT.. WHITE, LIKE YOU.. WE NOT AFRAID..

"OUR LEADER WENT TO GREET THEM.."
WHAT'LL I DO ?
SHOOT IT. FAST!
FALK 5/13 Olesen & Williams

"OUR LEADER GOES TO THEM,, A LITTLE THUNDER,,
FALK 5/15 Olesen & Williams
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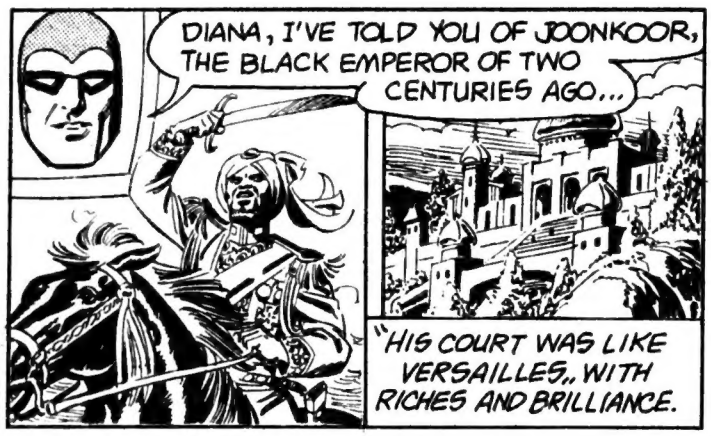
"OUR LEADER FALLS. THE THUNDERBIRD FLIES,,"
GLIK CLACK CLACK,,
"OUR LEADER DEAD." KILLED BY A BULLET,, THEY COULDN'T SEE OR UNDER-STAND.
BEHIND PHANTOM-HEAD,, THEY CARRY THE DEAD BEAST,,
FALK 5/16 Olesen & Williams
BURIAL,, IN THEIR FASHION,,
GENTLE GIANT,, WENT TO MEN IN PEACE,, THEY DIDN'T KNOW.
IF THUNDERBIRD COMES, CALL ME.
FALK 5/17 Olesen & Williams
CLACK,,
GRUNT,,
GOODBYE.
CLACK,,
CLACK,,
WHO CAME TO THIS HIDDEN PLACE ,, AND SHOT THAT GENTLE GIANT?
WE HAD AN AMAZING ADVENTURE IN BANGALLA.
I GUESS WE HAVE TO LISTEN TO IT.
AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHS OF AN UNMAPPED PART OF BANGALLA,,
OUR WORK FINISHED,, A STORM DROVE US FAR OFF COURSE,,
EXPLORERS CLUB
A MAN'S HEAD! NATURAL ,, OR MAN-MADE?
LET'S HAVE A CLOSER LOOK.
FALK 5/18 Olesen & Williams

WE FLEW AROUND THAT AMAZING PEAK.. THEN LANDED FOR A BETTER LOOK.
PRETTY HIGH CLIMB.
JUST A LITTLE WAYS.. GET BETTER SHOTS..
SEE WHAT I SEE?
BIG AND HAIRY.. LOTS OF THEM!
AW
FALK 5/19 Olesen & Williams
WE RAN BACK TO THE PLANE.
I GOT IN FIRST. BUT BEFORE JASON COULD GET IN..
"THIS BIG HAIRY MONSTER CAME RIGHT AT ME.."
NATURALLY, I SHOT IT.. DROPPED THE MONSTER WITH ONE BULLET.
IT REALLY HAPPENED. WE GOT PHOTOS.
FALK 5/20 Olesen & Williams
AND THEN YOU WOKE UP. HAR HAR..
YOU THINK WE'RE LYING ABOUT THOSE MONSTERS.
WHO SAID LYING? JUST.. JOKING.
FALK 5/21 Olesen & Williams
I TOOK THESE PHOTOS.. SEE FOR YOURSELF.
WOW! WHAT IS IT?
SO HAPPY YOU'RE BACK! I WORRIED. THOSE STRANGE DRUM-BEATS.. ANY TROUBLE?
THERE WAS. COULD BE MORE..
FALK 5/22 Olesen & Williams
IT'S THE JUNGLE'S DEEPEST SECRET...
KNOWN ONLY TO MY FAMILY.
?

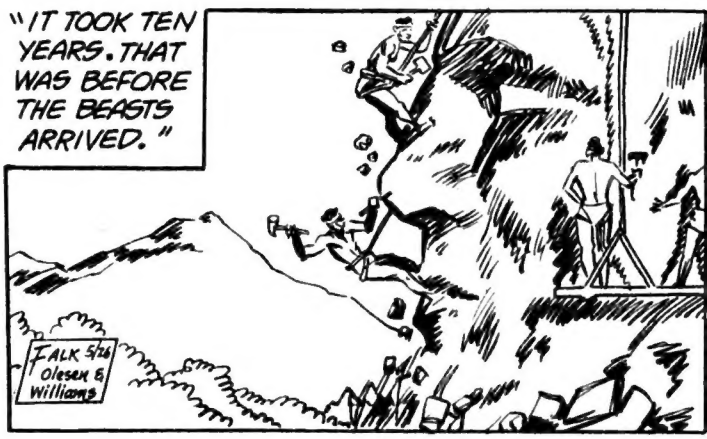
FOR MANY YEARS,, AGES,, RUMORS OF STRANGE BEINGS BEHIND PHANTOM-HEAD PEAK.
"SOME SAID,, GIANT OGRES WHO ATE HUMAN FLESH."

EVIL SPIRITS, DEMONS,, WHATEVER--THE PLACE WAS TABOO TO ALL JUNGLEFOLK.
WHAT LIVES THERE ?
FALK 5/24 Olesen & Williams


DIANA, I'VE TOLD YOU OF JOONKOOR, THE BLACK EMPEROR OF TWO CENTURIES AGO...
"HIS COURT WAS LIKE VERSAILLES,, WITH RICHES AND BRILLIANCE.

"HE CREATED THE PEAK CALLED PHANTOM-HEAD!"
PHANTOM,, I OWE YOU MY LIFE, MY BRIDE, AND THE JUNGLE PEACE.
FALK 5/25 Olesen & Williams

WHAT DOES PHANTOM-HEAD PEAK HAVE TO DO WITH THINGS THAT LIVE THERE?
YOU'LL SEE.
"JOONKOOR BROUGHT AN ITALIAN ARTIST,, SOME SAY MICHELANGELO ,, TO DESIGN THE PEAK.


"IT TOOK TEN YEARS. THAT WAS BEFORE THE BEASTS ARRIVED."
FALK 5/26 Olesen & Williams

JUNGLEFOLK LEARNED OF NEW ARRIVALS AT PHANTOM-HEAD,, THEY WENT TO SEE,,
"A BATTLE,, SPEARS AND ARROWS AGAINST ROCKS.

" THEY FLED,, LATER RETURNED TO GET THEIR DEAD--FINDING THEM PARTIALLY EATEN,,"
THEY EAT HUMANS!
THEY EAT,, THEIR OWN!
MONSTERS!
FALK 5/27 Olesen & Williams

IN MY GRANDFATHER'S TIME, FIRST MEETING,, JUNGLEFOLK VS. PHANTOM-HEAD BEASTS.
FALK 5/29 Olesen & Williams
"NIGHT, JUNGLEFOLK CAME FOR THEIR DEAD..."
MONSTERS,, CANNIBALS,,
ALSO,, EAT THEIR OWN!
? TRUE ?
MONSTERS. EAT THE DEAD. EAT THEIR OWN.
FALK 5/30 Olesen & Williams
"PHANTOM-HEAD PEAK QUICKLY BECAME TABOO.
"THE PYGMY POISON PEOPLE,, WHO FEAR NOTHING..."
TRUE, OH GHOST WHO WALKS. MONSTERS.
MUST SEE THIS FOR MYSELF.
"MY GRANDFATHER QUESTIONED THIS."
"MY GRANDFATHER ON PHANTOM-HEAD PEAK,,"
FALK 5/31 Olesen & Williams
PARTIALLY EATEN,, BY LIONS AND HYENAS,, NOT BY THE STRANGE CREATURES HERE.
I MUST SEE THEM,, TRY TO KNOW THEM.
SO HE TOLD MY FATHER. BUT HE NEVER DID.
WHAT HAPPENED?
MY GRANDFATHER CLIMBED PHANTOM-HEAD PEAK,,
"HE NEVER GOT TO THE TOP.
"DESPITE THEIR FEARS,, FAITHFUL PYGMIES CARRIED HIM."
FALK 6/1 Olesen & Williams

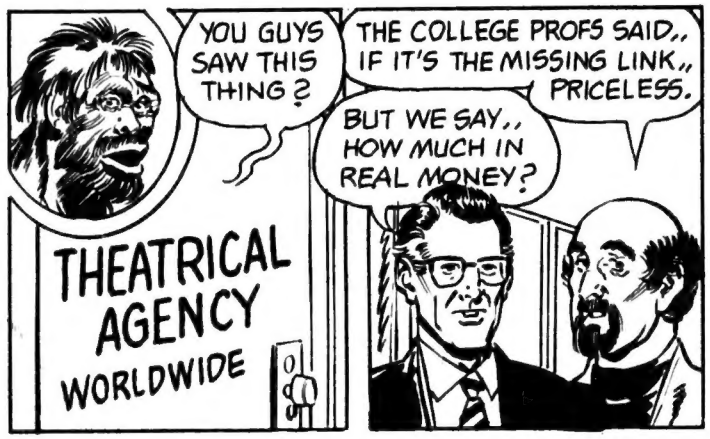
"GRANDFATHER NEVER SAW THE BEASTS OF PHANTOM-HEAD PEAK.
FALK 6/2 Olesen & Williams
"BEFORE HE DIED, HE WROTE,,"
I believe the "Beasts are not cannibals,, not evil ,,must meet them
NEVER DID. BUT HIS SON, MY FATHER,, DID.
MET THEM?! WOW! WHAT HAPPENED?
MY FATHER'S FIRST MEETING WITH THE BEASTS.
HE CLIMBED AT NIGHT,, UNSEEN,, HID IN BUSHES,,
"WITH DAYLIGHT, HE WATCHED THE HUGE CREATURES,,"
EATING BERRIES,, PLANTS,, NUTS,, NOT MEAT-EATERS,,
,,THEN FACED THEM."
GRUNT,, CLACK!
!
FALK 6/3 Olesen & Williams
"THE BEASTS CHARGED MY FATHER,, HE FIRED,, INTO THE AIR,,
"THE NEW SOUND TERRIFIED THEM,,
"THEY WATCHED ,,SAW THE UNIVERSAL SIGN OF FRIENDSHIP,, AND REPLIED."
FALK 6/5 Olesen & Williams
MY FATHER,, AMAZED TO FIND THE BEASTS GENTLE,, FRIENDLY. ONCE THEIR FEAR WAS GONE...
FALK 6/6 Olesen & Williams
CLACK GRUNT SSSS
CLACK GRUNT SSSS
"HE LEARNED THEIR SIMPLE LANGUAGE,,"
YOUR FATHER,, A BRAVE,, AMAZING MAN,,!
YES. A GREAT MAN. HE LEARNED HOW THEY CAME TO PHANTOM-HEAD.

MY FATHER GRADUALLY LEARNED WHY THE BEASTS CAME TO PHANTOM-HEAD PEAK,,
AND NOT BEASTS,, BUT GENTLE CREATURES,,
FALK 6/7 Olesen & Williams
"IN A DISTANT FOREST,. THEY FACED CONSTANT ATTACKS.
"THEY HAD ONLY ROCKS AGAINST SPEARS AND ARROWS ,,AND FACED EXTINCTION."
"A NEW HOME, FAR AWAY."
"AFTER A FURIOUS BATTLE,,A GENIUS AMONG THE BEASTS HAD A PLAN.
SO THEY CAME TO PHANTOM-HEAD,,WHERE A TABOO HAS SAVED THEM.
EXCEPT FROM THE BULLET OF A STRANGER. WHO?
WE'LL KNOW,, WHEN THEY RETURN.
FALK 6/8 Olesen & Williams
WE BOTH DID.
YOU SAW THESE CREATURES?
IMPOSSIBLE!
AT A LARGE COLLEGE...
CAN'T YOU BELIEVE YOUR OWN EYES? REAL PHOTOS.
I TOOK THEM!
PHOTOS CAN BE FAKED. THIS IS A HOAX!
FALK 6/9 Olesen & Williams
A CAVEMAN HEAD ON A GORILLA BODY?! ABSURD.
FAKED? NO!
HOAX! FRAUD. CAVEMAN HEAD,, NOT NEANDERTHAL. NOT ERECTUS. PHONY.
MAN IN A GORILLA SUIT,, WITH FALSE HEAD.
FALK 6/10 Olesen & Williams
WHY WOULD WE DO SUCH A THING? WE SAW THEM!
WHY? TO CHEAT. TO MAKE MONEY!
PROF., I CAN SUE,,OR SHOOT!
EASY, JASON. RELAX.

YOU CALL ME A CHEAT,, A FAKER?
I MUST, SIR. SUCH A CREATURE NEVER EXISTED.
CALM DOWN, JASON. WE'RE ALL FRIENDS.
FALK 6/12 Olesen & Williams

HE'S JOKING, PROF. NOW, LET'S IMAGINE. SAY THE CREATURE'S REALLY A MISSING LINK— WORTH HOW MUCH?

MISSING LINK? SCIENTIFICALLY,, PRICELESS.
NEVER MIND SCIENCE. HOW MUCH IN REAL MONEY?


YOU GUYS SAW THIS THING?
THE COLLEGE PROFS SAID,, IF IT'S THE MISSING LINK,, PRICELESS.
BUT WE SAY,, HOW MUCH IN REAL MONEY?
THEATRICAL AGENCY WORLDWIDE

IF YOU CAN PROVE IT,, FILMS,, TV,, BOOKS,, VIDEO,, COULD BE WORTH MILLIONS.
FALK 6/13 Olesen & Williams

YOU REALLY THINK THIS THING'S WORTH MILLIONS?
YES,, A MALE AND A FEMALE BROUGHT BACK HERE,, WORLD TOUR,, FILMS ,,ET CETERA
FALK 6/14 Olesen & Williams

I'LL RAISE THE MONEY TO BRING THEM BACK. WHERE ARE THEY?
IN A PLACE CALLED,,
HOLD IT, JASON. OUR SECRET. WE'RE THE ONLY WHITES WHO KNOW.

MOTHER DIED WHILE I WAS IN COLLEGE. I CAME BACK TO VISIT DAD.
FALK 6/15 Olesen & Williams

HER LAST WORDS WERE OF YOU, KIT. "CAN'T WAIT TO SEE HIM". SHE DIED THAT NIGHT.

NOW, KIT,, SOMETHING ABOUT PHANTOM-HEAD PEAK,, YOU'LL SEE,, TOMORROW.
?

THE NEXT NIGHT,, I CLIMBED PHANTOM-HEAD PEAK WITH MY FATHER. TO SEE THE CREATURES..
WOW!
THEY'RE JUST AHEAD. STAY CLOSE TO ME, KIT,, UNTIL THEY GET USED TO YOU.
LET'S HOPE THEY DO, DAD.
"I SAW THEM FOR THE FIRST TIME,, HUGE,, PART MAN,, PART APE,, THEY STARED AT ME,,"
???
FALK 6/16 Olesen & Williams
"DAD TOLD THEM I WAS HIS SON,, SOME POKED AT ME— HAD ONLY SEEN DAD IN COSTUME,,"
CLACK GUG,,
GUG?
FALK 6/17 Olesen & Williams
"ALL MY HAIRLESS SKIN AMUSED THEM,,
"AT THAT MOMENT,, A HUNGRY LION SAW A MEAL,, ME."
ON PHANTOM-HEAD PEAK,,
ROARR
GUG!
!!
!
FALK 6/19 Olesen & Williams
CLACK!
"MY FATHER (THE 20TH PHANTOM) DRESSED THE BEAST'S WOUND,, THEY LOVED HIM,,
FALK 6/20 Olesen & Williams
"HE TRIED TO TEACH THEM WEAPONRY-- DEFENSE AGAINST ATTACK,,
"THEY COULDN'T LEARN,, INTELLIGENCE BELOW THE HUMAN JUNGLE FOLK,,"

AFTER DAD'S DEATH, I RETURNED HERE. I VISITED THE BEASTS OFTEN..
WE KEPT THEIR SECRET.. THAT THEY WERE GENTLE-- DEFENSELESS..
FALK 6/21 Olesen & Williams
"I CONTINUED DAD'S TEACHING OF WEAPONS. THEY COULDN'T LEARN."
THEN I HAD A BRIGHT IDEA.
HOW BRIGHT?
THE BEASTS' ONLY WEAPON WAS A STONE. GAVE ME AN IDEA..
"I THOUGHT OF DAVID AND GOLIATH.
"I PRACTICED WITH A SLING..
"ROCKS.. THIS THEY UNDERSTAND. THEY TOOK TO IT LIKE A FISH TO WATER. THEIR STONES WOULD TRAVEL FAR."
FALK 6/22 Olesen & Williams
DIANA, SOMEDAY I'LL TAKE YOU TO SEE THE BEASTS OF PHANTOM-HEAD.
GORILLAS WITH CAVE MAN HEADS. NO HURRY.
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WHO FLEW UP THERE? SHOT ONE OF THEM?
DEVIL, STAY OUTSIDE TONIGHT.
SOMEDAY, THEY'LL RETURN. I WANT THE BEASTS READY. ENOUGH OF THAT. TIME FOR BED.
YOU WON'T TELL WHERE THOSE THINGS ARE? HOW CAN I RAISE MONEY TO GET THEM?
YOU GOT TO TRUST US, JAKE.
FALK 6/24 Olesen & Williams
IF NEWS GETS OUT.. THE WHOLE WORLD'LL RUIN IT FOR US. FIRST, WE GET A MALE AND FEMALE.
UNTIL THEN.. OUR SECRET. YOU HELP US.. WE SHARE THE MILLIONS. OKAY?
WELL.. YEAH.

SCIENCE TELLS US,, NEVER HEARD OF THIS CREATURE.
EXACTLY! THE MISSING LINK!
FALK 6/26 Olesen & Williams
MISSING LINK! PRICELESS! MILLIONS IN TV, FILMS, VIDEO, BOOKS.
IF YOU BRING BACK A LIVE MALE AND FEMALE.
IF WE FINANCE YOU, WE MUST KNOW WHERE THEY ARE.
NOPE,, FOR NOW,, OUR SECRET.
WE'LL FINANCE YOUR TRIP. HALF CASH NOW,, HALF WHEN YOU RETURN WITH THE LIVE MALE AND FEMALE BEASTS.
GREAT!
FALK 6/27 Olesen & Williams
TO MAKE SURE YOU DON'T FAIL US (OR CHEAT US), OUR MAN MIKE WILL GO ALONG.
MIKE?
"MIKE,, FORMER WRESTLING CHAMP (AND HIT MAN),,"
!!
I'M VISITING FRIENDS AT PHANTOM-HEAD. WANT TO COME ALONG?
YES (GULP) BUT IT'S SCARY.
FALK 6/28 Olesen & Williams
THEY'VE NEVER SEEN A WOMAN LIKE YOU, DIANA.
ER.. WHAT'LL THEY DO?
HARD TO PREDICT. THEY'RE CHILD-LIKE.
THAT'S NOT VERY COMFORTING.
ON PHANTOM-HEAD PEAK,,
WE'LL CLIMB THE REST OF THE WAY, DIANA.
IT'S SCARY,, MEETING THE BEASTS,, FIRST TIME.
FALK 6/29 Olesen & Williams
NOT FAR NOW.
OH, DEAR,, SCARRIER AND SCARRIER,,
??
OH!

URK.
THIS IS URK.
I,,ER,,MIGHT HAVE GUESSED. HE,,OR SHE,,IS SO BIG!
FALK 6/30 Olesen & Williams

URK! GUG!
HE'S SAYING HELLO.
HEL-LO,,

GUG GU..
HELLO,,OR,, SHOULD I SAY,, GUG...

THEY'VE INVITED US FOR LUNCH.
ON PHANTOM-HEAD PEAK,,
ER,,WHAT DO THEY EAT?
URK.
HO
KO
GUG..
FALK 7/1 Olesen & Williams

ROOTS, BERRIES, NUTS, LEAVES,,VARIOUS BUGS, INSECTS.

GUG. HO GO..
(LUNCH THAT MOVES!) MAY I HAVE A SALAD, PLEASE?

NOW, A SHOW FOR YOU, DIANA. SHOWING OFF THEIR NEW SKILL--A SLINGSHOT.
GUG HO.
HOW SWEET.

FALK 7/3 Olesen & Williams

WONDERFUL! MARVELOUS!
HO HO!

A CHILD,, HOW SWEET..
NO,,DIANA..
WITH BEASTS ON PHANTOM-HEAD PEAK,,
FALK 7/4 Olesen & Williams

SCREAM

OH!
LIKE ALL MOMS,, PROTECTING HER YOUNG,,

URK URK GUG
HO KO
URK AND HIS MATE SAYING GOODBYE.
OH,, HOW NICE.
FALK 9/5 Olesen & Williams

URK URK GUG.
SHOULD I SAY,, URK URK GUG?

KE KE KE KE
WHAT HAPPENED?

THAT'S URK'S MATE, HAVING A TANTRUM.
TANTRUM? LIKE A SMALL CHILD. WHY?
FALK 7/6 Olesen & Williams

URK SHOWED YOU TOO MUCH ATTENTION. SHE'S JEALOUS.
WE'D BETTER GO, PLEASE.

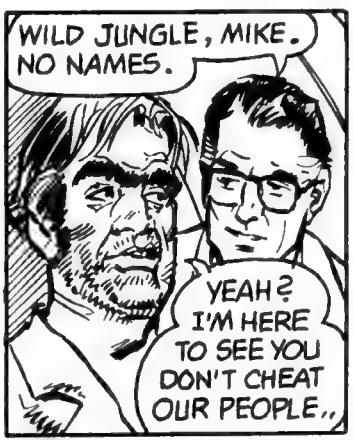
GOODBYE.. GOODBYE,,
BY BY..

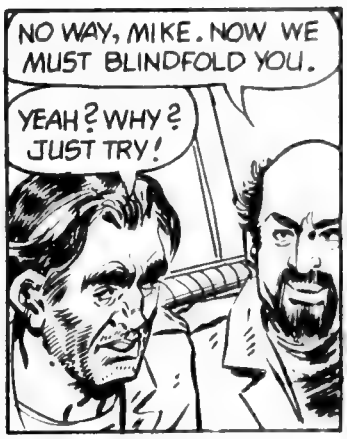
HOW DID YOU FIND THEM, DIANA?
SO SWEET AND GENTLE. LIKE CHILDREN.
FALK 7/7 Olesen & Williams

EXACTLY. THAT'S WHY SO FEW SURVIVED. WE MUST HELP THEM.

HOW COULD ANYONE SHOOT THEM?
SOMEONE DID. AND MAY TRY AGAIN.

RIGHT HERE.
WHERE ARE WE NOW, SAM?
I CAN'T READ MAPS. JUST TELL ME THE PLACE.
FALK 7/8 Olesen & Williams


WILD JUNGLE, MIKE. NO NAMES.
YEAH? I'M HERE TO SEE YOU DON'T CHEAT OUR PEOPLE..


NO WAY, MIKE. NOW WE MUST BLINDFOLD YOU.
YEAH? WHY? JUST TRY!

BLINDFOLD ME? YOU KIDDING?
NO, MIKE, SERIOUS. SEE, IT'S IN YOUR CONTRACT, SIGNED BY YOUR BOSSES.
WHY?
FALK 7/10 Olesen & Williams
SO YOU CAN'T REPORT THE EXACT LOCATION..
..UNTIL WE GET BACK WITH MALE AND FEMALE BEASTS.
CAN'T SEE NOTHIN'.
CAN'T SEE ANYTHING? GOOD..WE'RE READY.
THE BEASTS PANIC.. THUNDER IN THE SKY..WITH IT--DEATH.
FALK 7/11 Olesen & Williams
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AS THE BEASTS OF PHANTOM-HEAD PANIC..THUNDER BIRD!
FALK 7/12 Olesen & Williams
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ONE REMEMBERS LESSONS..
URK..!
PHAN-TOM..
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THE DRUMS OF PHANTOM-HEAD.
FALK 7/13 Olesen & Williams
PHAN-TOM..
PHAN-TOM..
PHAN-TOM..

PHAN-TOM..
FROM PHANTOM-HEAD PEAK..
I HEAR, GORAN.
PHAN-TOM..
DO YOU HEAR THAT SMALLER SOUND.. HIGH UP?
YES.. LIKE BIG BUG.
THE SHOOTERS HAVE RETURNED!
ZZZ ZZZ
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PHAN-TOM..
PHAN-TOM..
DRUMBEATS.. CALL FOR HELP FROM PHANTOM-HEAD.
I'M GOING WITH YOU.
FALK 7/15 Olesen & Williams
THE VISITORS HAVE GUNS. DANGEROUS.
I WANT TO HELP OUR GENTLE FRIENDS. I CAN SHOOT, TOO!
WHERE ARE WE?
AT PHANTOM-HEAD PEAK..
YOU'LL SEE IN A MINUTE, MIKE.
FALK 7/17 Olesen & Williams
THE BEASTS WATCH..
WHERE ARE THE THINGS?
?
HIDING.. WATCHING US..
WE HAVE TO TAKE OUR MALE AND FEMALE THINGS ALIVE. THESE DARTS'LL KNOCK THEM OUT.
THESE RIFLES HAVE BULLETS.
FALK 7/18 Olesen & Williams
BULLETS FOR WHAT? WE WANT 'EM ALIVE.
FOR JUST IN CASE..
MAY HAVE TO KILL A FEW TO CLEAR THE WAY.

THEY'RE HIDING. THEY REMEMBER US. WE KILLED ONE.
THOSE THINGS CAN REMEMBER?
FALK 7/19 Olesen & Williams
WHY WAIT AROUND? WE'LL GO AND GRAB A COUPLE.
MIKE, THEY WEIGH ABOUT 400 POUNDS. THEY'D PULL YOU APART, CHAMP.
WE'LL WAIT 'TIL THEY COME OUT,, THEN GET THEM!
TIRED OF WAITING,, LET THEM SEE US.
THEY'LL TRY TO SCARE US WITH THOSE BIG ROCKS.
GRK
WAITING, URK, HIS MATE GRH, AND CHILD,,
CLACK LACK!
THERE'S A BIG ONE. I'LL GET IT!
FALK 7/20 Olesen & Williams
PHANTOM-HEAD: AS THE FEMALE RUNS AFTER HER CHILD,,
CLACK CLACK,,
CHEE CHEE
THE CHEMICAL DART HITS,,
GOT IT! FEMALE,, WITH THE LITTLE ONE,,
CHEE? CHEE?
NOW,, FOR A MALE,,
FALK 7/21 Olesen & Williams
HIS MATE DOWN,, URK STARTS OUT,, WITH OTHERS,,,
URK!
HERE COME THE MALES. I'LL DART ONE. SHOOT THE OTHERS!
NO SOUND OF THE CHOPPER.
THEY'VE LANDED!,, FASTER,,!
FALK 7/22 Olesen & Williams

HERE COME THE DUMB THINGS.. THEY'LL THROW BIG ROCKS AT US..
I'LL DART TWO OF THEM.. SHOOT THE REST.
URK.. BUG.. RUG..
BUT THE "DUMB THINGS" HAVE SOMETHING NEW..LITTLE ROCKS..
FALK 7/24 Olesen & Williams
URK.. GURK.. BAP!
ROCKS FROM THE BEASTS' SLINGS...
FALK 7/25 Olesen & Williams
..FASTER THAN ARROWS...
OU..OUCH..
UH..!!
BANG
CRASH
SURPRISE!
HO HO
THE PHANTOM-HEAD BEASTS.. WITH NEWFOUND WEAPON.. ENJOYING IT...
FALK 7/26 Olesen & Williams
HOHO
STOP THEM.. BEFORE THEY DAMAGE THE CHOPPER.
AND US. BUT GOTTA BRING TWO BACK ALIVE. SHOOT THE REST.
BANG
CRASH!
WAIT. I'VE GOT A WAY..
CRASH
HURRY, BEFORE THEY HIT INSTRUMENT PANEL!
SHOOT!
WAIT.. I BROUGHT SOMETHING.
BANG
THIS IS AN OLD BAZOOKA GRENADE LAUNCHER.
THIS'LL QUIET THEM.. OR FINISH THEM..
FALK 7/27 Olesen & Williams

WHAT'LL THE GAS GRENADE DO? KILL THEM?
I FORGET. STEADY NOW..
READY TO GO.
?!
FALK 7/31 Olesen & Williams
BANG
A GRENADE LAUNCHER.. AGAINST THE BEASTS.
STEADY.. DON'T MOVE..
SHOOT IT!
FALK 7/31 Olesen & Williams
BAM!
!!
URK URK! (OUR FRIEND)
THE BEASTS OF PHANTOM-HEAD..
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MASKED.. GUY. HOW'D HE HIT THIS.. SO FAR AWAY?
NOT SO FAR FOR OUR RIFLES.. HIT THEM BOTH!
FALK 7/31 Olesen & Williams
WHO'S THE MASKED GUY? WHAT A SHOT!
WHO CARES? HIT THE WOMAN, TOO?
YES.. SHE'S GOT A P'FLE.. NOW!
DOWN!
FALK 8/1 Olesen & Williams
BANG BANG BANG

WHO ARE THEY?
INVADERS,, KILLERS.
FALK 8/2 Olesen & Williams

??!!!
"PHANTOM CAN HIT MOSQUITO EYE MILE AWAY",, OLD JUNGLE SAYING,,,

HOW,, CAN HE HIT,, SO FAR AWAY?
!!
STUNNED BY PHANTOM BULLETS,,,

URK,, GET,,
GET!
!!!
FALK 8/3 Olesen & Williams

RUN!
WHERE?
ANYWHERE.

GET!
!!

GET!
!
GET!
DON'T,, EAT ME,, I GIVE UP,,
FALK 8/4 Olesen & Williams

TERRIFIED CAPTIVES,,
WHAT'LL THEY DO TO US?
EAT?

GENTLE CAPTORS,, UNSURE WHAT TO DO.
URK GUG,, (GOOD WORK.)
FALK 8/5 Olesen & Williams

WHAT ARE THESE THINGS? WHO ARE YOU?
I CAN ASK YOU THE SAME. ANSWERS LATER.
ON PHANTOM-HEAD PEAK..
FALK 8/7 Olesen & Williams
WHOEVER YOU ARE.. SAVE US FROM THESE THINGS!
WHY? YOU TRIED TO KILL THEM. THEN YOU TRIED TO KILL US.
MONTHS AGO.. YOU FLEW HERE, KILLED ONE OF THESE FOLK.
FOLK? IT WAS SELF-DEFENSE. CAME AT US WITH A BIG ROCK!
FALK 8/8 Olesen & Williams
NOW.. ANOTHER ONE.. SHOT TODAY.
ONLY WITH A SLEEP DART. NOT HURT.
NOW.. YOU WERE ABOUT TO USE THIS DEADLY GAS GRENADE ON THEM.
NO.. ONLY SLEEPING GAS GRENADE.
JUST A SLEEPING GAS GRENADE, YOU SAY? LET'S TEST IT.
UH.. HOW?
GET INSIDE.. I'LL THROW THIS GRENADE IN.
NO!
DEADLY GAS! ENOUGH TO KILL THE WHOLE GROUP!
FALK 8/9 Olesen & Williams
GUG GUNG
WHAT'S IT SAYING?
YOU TRIED TO KILL THEM.
WHAT'LL THEY DO.. TO US?
THEY LIKE THEIR FOOD.. RAW.
EAT US.. RAW?
PLEASE.. WHOEVER YOU ARE.. SAVE US FROM THEM.
THEY'RE VEGETARIANS...
WE'LL SEE..
FALK 8/10 Olesen & Williams

WE CAME,, TO CAPTURE ONE MALE,, ONE FEMALE.
TO TAKE THEM BACK ALIVE.
TO MAKE A FORTUNE? HOW?
FALK 8/11 Olesen & Williams
FILMS, TV, VIDEO,, BOOKS,, ALL THAT.
FOR THAT,, YOU'D KILL THE REST TO GET AWAY,,
WHAT SHOULD WE DO WITH THEM?
I'M GLAD I DON'T HAVE TO DECIDE. THAT'S,, FOR YOU.
THE BEASTS OF PHANTOM-HEAD PEAK.
SHE'S OKAY,, RECOVERED FROM THE SLEEP DART.
GRK
WHAT'LL YOU DO ABOUT THOSE BAD MEN?
GOOD! SHE'S URK'S MATE.
I'M NOT A JUDGE OR JURY,, THE CHIEFS WILL DECIDE YOUR FATE.
FALK 8/12 Olesen & Williams
WHAT,, CHIEFS?
THE TALKING DRUMS.
PHANTOM CALLS.. COUNCIL OF CHIEFS.. COME TO PHANTOM HEAD.. PHANTOM CALLS..
FALK 8/14 Olesen & Williams
..PHANTOM·HEAD
WHY DOES PHANTOM CALL?
FOR JUSTICE.
COUNCIL OF CHIEFS,, YOU DECIDE JUSTICE FOR ALL JUNGLEFOLK.
IT IS TRUE, O GHOST WHO WALKS.
"THESE THREE CAME TO KIDNAP A MALE AND FEMALE,, KILLED ONE,, ALMOST KILLED MANY MORE."
FALK 8/15 Olesen & Williams
SERIOUS CRIMES. WHO ARE THE JUNGLEFOLK?

TO STEAL OR KILL JUNGLEFOLK IS A SERIOUS CRIME, PUNISHED BY DEATH,, OR LIFE OF LABOR.
FALK 8/16 Olesen & Williams
WHO ARE THE FOLK ATTACKED BY THESE EVIL MEN?
THE FOLK OF PHANTOM-HEAD.
PHANTOM-HEAD FOLK?
THOSE,, BEASTS?
COUNCIL OF CHIEFS.
BEASTS OF PHANTOM-HEAD,, FOLK?
BZZ BZZ,, MINOR THING,, FINES,,
FALK 8/17 Olesen & Williams
IF HUNTERS COME TO KILL OR TAKE BEASTS,, THEY PAY,,
CHIEFS,, THESE ARE NOT BEASTS. THEY ARE FOLK!
THEY ARE BEASTS,, WE FOUGHT THEM,,
CANNIBALS,, WHO EVEN EAT THEIR OWN!
PHANTOM-HEAD BEASTS ARE ANIMALS. WE DO NOT PUNISH THESE HUNTERS,,
!! WE'RE?,, FREE!
THEY PAY FINES. NEVER COME BACK!
FALK 8/18 Olesen & Williams
WAIT, CHIEFS,, I CAN PROVE THE FOLK OF PHANTOM-HEAD ARE PEOPLE,, NOT ANIMALS.
PROVE,, THOSE BEASTS ARE PEOPLE? HOW,, O GHOST WHO WALKS?
I CAN PROVE THOSE OF PHANTOM-HEAD ARE PEOPLE,, NOT BEASTS.
BUT YOU MUST COME WITH ME TO SEE THEM.
FALK 8/19 Olesen & Williams
GO UP THERE? THEY'LL KILL US,, EAT US.
CHIEFS, YOU'VE ALWAYS TRUSTED ME. TRUST ME NOW.
? ? ?

WE CANNOT.. GO UP THERE.. WITH THOSE.. BEASTS.
I SAY.. COME WITH US.. SHE IS NOT AFRAID.. SHE KNOWS THEM.
NO..
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THE BANDAR: PYGMY POISON PEOPLE. FEARED BY ALL JUNGLEFOLK.
PHANTOM SAY GO.. YOU GO.
FALK 8/21 Olesen & Williams

YOU FORCE US.. TO SEE THOSE BEASTS?
NOT BEASTS. PEOPLE. I KNOW THEM. THEY ARE HARMLESS.
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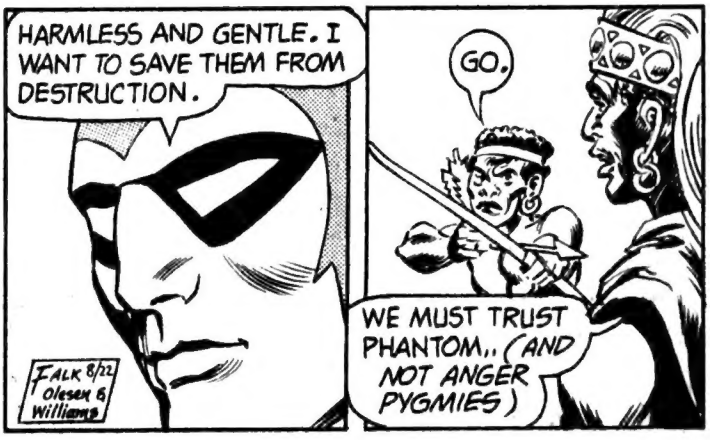
HARMLESS AND GENTLE. I WANT TO SAVE THEM FROM DESTRUCTION.
GO.
WE MUST TRUST PHANTOM.. (AND NOT ANGER PYGMIES)
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THE COUNCIL OF CHIEFS CLIMB PHANTOM-HEAD PEAK.
WE TRUST YOU, PHANTOM. (WE HOPE)
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THE "BEASTS" SEE BLACK FOLK.. TRADITIONAL ENEMIES..
..AND READY THEIR NEW WEAPONS!

ON PHANTOM-HEAD PEAK.. THE "BEASTS"..
GUNG BAK!
NO.. CHIEFS COME.. HELP YOU.
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BEASTS!
STOP. HOLD IT!
!
FALK 8/24 Olesen & Williams
BATTLE..? PHANTOM AND DIANA.. IN THE MIDDLE!

ALL,, DO AS I DO.
LIKE THIS FOR PEACE.
PLEASE.
URK
FOR PEACE? (WITH THESE,, BEASTS?)
URK
FALK 8/25 Olesen & Williams
PHANTOM,, WE CANNOT HOLD OUR ARMS UP FOREVER.
HOW CAN YOU PROVE THEY'RE HARMLESS?
FALK 8/26 Olesen & Williams
PROVE THEY'RE NOT BEASTS,, OR WE MUST FIGHT,, KILL.
I'LL PROVE TO YOU THEY'RE PEOPLE.
PHANTOM,, HOW CAN YOU PROVE THESE BEASTS ARE,, PEOPLE?
THEY HAVE PEOPLE TALK,, WHICH I KNOW.
URK GONG
URK GONG.
FALK 8/28 Olesen & Williams
PHANTOM
COME
HE DID WHAT I ASKED. YOU KNOW THE DRUM-BEATS.
HMM,, MAYBE,, A TRICK? NEED,, MORE.
IT STILL,, LOOKS LIKE A BEAST.
THEY TALK. I TAUGHT THEM A FEW WORDS.
URK SLING. PLANE.
SLING
PLANE
WHAM
BAM
FALK 8/29 Olesen & Williams

THEY ARE CANNIBALS,,
WRONG. WATCH,,,
URK,, EAT.
EAT?
FALK 8/30 Olesen & Williams
SNIFF SNIFF ??
NO EAT.
?
IF THEY DON'T EAT MEAT,, WHAT ?
RUK,, GRK,, EAT.
EAT.
FALK 8/31 Olesen & Williams
THAT'S WHAT THEY EAT.
FLOWERS,, GRASS!!
THEY SPEAK,, THEY EAT FLOWERS. NO MEAT.
NOT BEASTS. ARE PEOPLE ,, BUT NOT LIKE US.
DIFFERENT,, BUT PEOPLE. TELL YOUR FOLK.
WE WILL TELL ALL.
I TAUGHT THEM TO SHAKE HANDS.
FALK 9/1 Olesen & Williams
URK
URK. HAHA.
FOR YOUR CRIMES AGAINST THESE PEOPLE,,
NOT PEOPLE ,, THEY'RE ANIMALS.
YOU WORK TEN YEARS HARD LABOR IN JUNGLE.
FALK 9/2 Olesen & Williams
OUR PEOPLE BACK HOME,, FINANCED US,,
WHAT'LL WE TELL THEM ?
YOU'VE BEEN DELAYED,, FOR TEN YEARS.
NEXT WEEK: NEW ADVENTURE